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## NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

### And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

Friday is the big day in Hamlin for all of the area's youngsters as this is the day that Santa Claus will come rolling to town on a fire truck. Plans are being made to locate a cotton trailer downtown so that Santa can meet with as many of the youngsters as possible.

It is the hope of the committee making the arrangements this year that this will give the younger children a chance to visit Santa. In the past he has tried walking up and down the downtown streets to do his visiting and the bigger children and their desire to get the free candy have been major problems.

Also, Friday will be the day that the downtown Christmas lights will be turned on.

So even if you do not have any little kids at home anymore this would be a good time to come to town and just watch. It is hard to find any other sight to equal that of a tiny tot seeing Santa.

And while we are on the subject of downtown Hamlin might we offer a suggestion that could make your whole Christmas season a more relaxed and enjoyable one? Try shopping in Hamlin first. It might surprise you as to how close you can come to finding everything you need to complete your shopping list without all of that big city hustle and bustle.

If you will shop here early then you will still have time to pick up anything that you might not be able to come up with here. Every year we hear of people shopping all over Abilene for something and then coming back home and finding it here. This always amazes us since it just does not take that long to try here first.

One can come up with a long list of reasons why Hamlin citizens should shop Hamlin first—such as the local merchants support your schools, your city, your organizations, etc.—but still the most important reason to us that it is just more convenient.

This will be a good weekend for basketball fans here in Hamlin as there will be four games on tap for each of the next three nights. Playing with the Pipers and Piperettes in their annual tournament will be Aspermont and Lueders-Avoca both entering their boys and girls teams. The Stamford girls will also be playing along with the Cooper JV's.

This will be a round-robin tournament with each team entered playing the other three teams before the tourney is over. While Hamlin has played in a number of this type of tournaments, this will be the first time to hold one here.

While the excitement doesn't build to a climax as it does in an elimination tourney, it does offer a well balanced contest without the problem of a good team being eliminated early because of a bad night.

## SANTA CLAUSTO ARRIVE HERE FRIDAY



JUNIOR HIGH ROYALTY—Two selected by the eighth grade were honored at the annual junior high school Football Banquet Tuesday evening. Selected by the eighth grade football players was Patricia Lee, sweetheart. Johnny Jones was selected by vote of the eighth grade girls to be football hero.

## Local Cage Tournament To Open Here Today

The Pipers and the Piperettes will host their annual Basketball Tournament here this weekend. The round-robin meet will open this afternoon (Thursday) at 4:30 and run through Saturday evening with four games each evening.

With four teams entered in each division, each team will play three games with the winner decided by the team with the best record. In case of a two-way tie, the one that beat the other will be the winner and in case of a three-way tie, the team with the best offensive record will be the winner.

Competing in the girls bracket will be Hamlin, Aspermont, Stamford, and Lueders-Avoca. Entered in the boys division are Hamlin, Aspermont, Cooper JV's and Lueders-Avoca.

The girls games each night will be at 4:30 and 7:30 and the boys will play at 6 and 9.

The Thursday schedule calls for the Aspermont and Stamford girls to open, to be followed by the Aspermont and Cooper boys, then Lueders-Avoca and Hamlin girls and Lueders-Avoca and Hamlin boys.

Friday it will be Aspermont and Lueders-Avoca girls, Aspermont and Lueders-Avoca boys, Stamford and Hamlin girls, and Cooper and Hamlin boys.

On Saturday it will be Lueders-Avoca and Stamford girls, Lueders-Avoca and

### Season Basketball Tickets Now On Sale At School

Season basketball tickets will be offered again this year, according to high school principal B. V. Newberry. Cost of the tickets will be \$10 for adults and \$3 for students.

The season ticket will admit the holder to every scheduled home game for junior high and high school. Including the tournaments there are at least 24 home games scheduled, Newberry said.

Admission at the door is 75c for adults and 25c for students.

The season tickets may be purchased at the principal's office at high school or junior high school or at the gymnasium on ballgame nights.

Cooper boys, Aspermont and Hamlin girls and Aspermont and Hamlin boys.

Also on Thursday the Hamlin Junior High teams will travel to Aspermont with eighth grade boys and girls playing along with the eighth grade boys B team. The first game will start at 5:30.

Monday the eighth and ninth grade boys will host Sweetwater with the first game starting at 6.

Playing here the same night will be the Piperettes and the Ranger Junior College Freshmen. This game is set for 8.

Tuesday evening the three Hamlin High teams will host the Jayton teams with the boys B team opening the action at 5:30, to be followed by the Piperettes and the Pipers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cannon and Stephanie of Munday visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Young, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Hester, Christi and Tammy of Ft. Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Helen Hester, and other relatives Thanksgiving Day.

Santa Claus will arrive here at 4 p.m. Friday to officially open the Christmas season. The lights in the downtown area will be turned on that evening.

Plans made by the Retail Trade Committee of the Hamlin Board of Community Development call for Santa Claus to ride into

town on a fire truck and then be stationed on Southwest Third Street by F & M Bank to enable youngsters to talk with him. He will be giving candy to all children.

Merchants this week have been putting up Christmas decorations and completed stocking their shelves with

merchandise for Christmas shoppers.

Return visits from Santa Claus are scheduled Dec. 19, Dec. 22 and Dec. 23. He will be visiting in the business district.

Charles Reed is chairman of the Retail Trade Committee.

## Garden Club to Sponsor Christmas Lighting Contest

The Hamlin Garden Club in cooperation with the Hamlin Board of Community Development will sponsor the Christmas lighting and decoration contest for Hamlin residents.

All arrangements for the judging will be made by the club through the civic beautification and public affairs committee. Accredited Garden Club judges will be secured. Serving on this committee will be Mrs. Joe League, chairman, Mrs. LaFoy Patterson and Mrs. R. L. Goodgame Jr.

Gifts of merchandise do-

nated by Hamlin merchants will be given the winners.

Deadline for entering will be at 5 p.m. Dec. 17. Entries are to be mailed or taken to the office of the BCD.

Five categories for entries have been selected. These are traditional, modern, religious, humorous and novelty.

Basis for judging will be artistic effect, up to 50 points; communication of the Christmas spirit, up to 20 points; ingenuity, up to 15 points; and integration and compatibility, up to 15 points.

## Joe Ford Named to Head Salvation Army Fund Drive

Joe Ford, chairman of Local Service Unit, Salvation Army, stated that this year's Fund Drive will start Thursday, Dec. 10. The campaign will start with a breakfast for all workers at 7 a.m. at Hamlin Restaurant.

Funds collected during this drive will be used locally to aid the less fortunate of

this area to help themselves. This aid will be given in the form of groceries, medical aid, medicine, utilities, clothes, shoes or any other aid deemed necessary by the local committee.

Part of the funds will also be used to support the state organizations which are available to all Texans. Some state agencies are: Home and Hospital for Unwed Mothers, Summer Camps for Boys Home for Elderly, Rehabilitation Centers for Alcoholics, Disaster Aid and many other services.

Ford asks the aid of all people in this area for their aid in this worthwhile cause. "We need the help of the local people, as workers as well as donors," he said.

In addition to Ford, the committee consists of Mrs. Erma Wallace, Joe A. Hudspeth, Bob Craig and Rev. Marshall Stewart.

## To Present P-TA Program Today

Mrs. Donald Young will present "Nine Days 'til Christmas" at the 4 p.m. meeting of Hamlin Elementary Parent-Teachers Association today (Thursday) in the elementary school gymnasium.

The fifth grade will present a play, "Star of Wonder," under the direction of Mrs. Willard Maberry, music education teacher.

## Methodist Women to Host Christmas Bazaar, Dinner

The WSCS and Guild of First United Methodist Church are inviting the public to attend a Christmas Bazaar Saturday, Dec. 5. Handmade items and food specialties will be featured.

The display will be open to the public from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. in the educational building.

A noon luncheon with chicken spaghetti as the main dish will be served to the public from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The meal will be \$1.25 per plate for adults and 75c for children, 12 years and under.

Tickets are being sold by all WSCS and Guild members. Everyone is urged to purchase advance tickets, however, a limited number of tickets will be available at the door.

Committees working on the bazaar were appointed

by Mrs. J. E. Harrison, WSCS president, as follows:

Mmes. Charles Hilburn, Parker Kelley, publicity; L. H. McBride, W. T. Johnson, tickets; Leroy Smith, E. J. Hawkins, Robert Wilson, Doyle McKennon and L. C. Bonds, food; John D. Ferguson, Earl Brown, arrangements.

Other members will be serving as hostesses during the bazaar.

Guild chairman is Mrs. W. L. Hunter Jr.

Those desiring advance luncheon tickets may call 576-2107 or 576-3797.

OAK GROVE DINNER

A fried chicken dinner will be served at Oak Grove Baptist Church Saturday at 6 p.m. under the sponsorship of the Senior Mission. Mrs. Louberta Maxwell is president.





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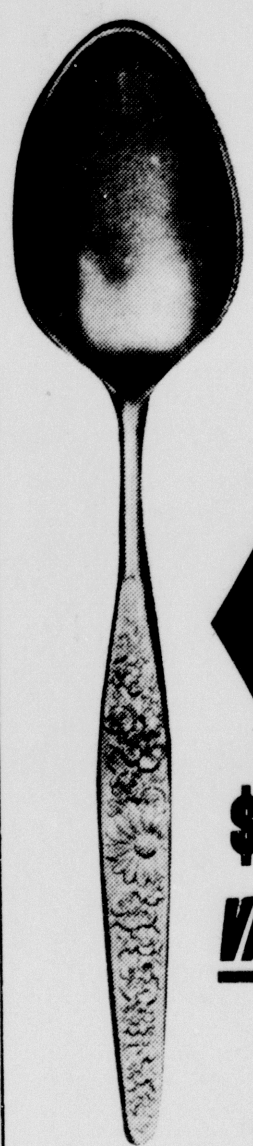
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MRS. BOBBY RAY NEWTON  
...formerly Rhonda Butler

## Butler-Newton Vows Exchanged

Oak Grove Baptist Church was the scene for the Saturday evening wedding of Rhonda LaVerne Butler and Bobby Ray Newton, both of Big Spring.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Frances Ford of Big Spring and James Butler of Hamlin. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Mozell Newton of Big Spring.

Rev. B. C. Freeman, pastor, officiated. Mrs. George Werner was pianist.

Mrs. Douglas Bailey of Big Spring was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Izell Johnson of Big Spring and Shirley Sheffield of Dallas.

Fern Denise Newton of Big Spring was junior bridesmaid.

Kimberly Pinkard was flower girl. Blakeley Ford was ring bearer.

Candlelighters were Todd Marshall and Marvin Williams.

Best man was Dennis Hartfield of Big Spring. Robert Bolden and Sgt. Larry Kelley of Barksdale AFB, La., were groomsmen.

Guests were seated by Kenneth Williams and Ricky Covington.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of chantilly lace over satin designed with oval neckline edged with seed pearls and a chapel train.

Her headpiece of lace and pearl flowerettes held her elbow length veil. She carried a white orchid encircled with pink and blue carnations.

The matron of honor wore a pink velvet empire gown with short puffed sleeves and pink satin ribbon at the waist.

Camp Fire Group Works On Gifts

Ma Ka Ula Camp Fire met last Tuesday afternoon at the hut to complete gifts they were making for their mothers.

A surprise farewell party was given for Mrs. Charles Hilburn, leader, who is moving to Gatesville.

Mrs. Jack Wicker served refreshments.

## Gift Tea Honors Marcia Steele Here Saturday

A gift tea honoring Marcia Steele, bride-elect of Robert B. Moore, was held Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Joe E. Ford.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Ford. In the receiving line were Mrs. John H. Steele, mother of the honoree; Miss Steele; her grandmother, Mrs. Virgil Steele; Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., mother of the prospective bridegroom, and her daughter, Patrice Moore.

Mary Helen Ford of Abilene registered guests. Ann Ford, also of Abilene, served at the refreshment table. Both are cousins of the bride-elect.

Miss Steele's colors of white and purple were used on the serving table which featured an arrangement of white stock mingled with purple statice and purple ribbon. Silver and crystal appointments were used.

Another table in the serving room held a bride doll that was decorated with pearls and lace. This was made by Mrs. Ronnie Macon of Richardson, aunt of the honoree. A bride's Bible was open in front of the bride doll. Also on the table were three lucite candles encircled with purple asters.

Guests included aunts of the honoree, Mrs. Macon of Richardson, Mrs. Bill Ford of Abilene and Mrs. Fred Ewing of Lubbock.

Hostesses with Mrs. Ford were Mmes. Clyde Lewis, James Rodgers, C. L. White, Robert Cary, Buford Bigham, Robert Fowler, C. R. Reynolds Jr., Lee Ward, Elbert Payne, Dale Lain, Lewis Madden, J. C. Turner Jr., V. M. Wallace, Bill Shira, M. D. Newland, Doyle Ponder, Joe W. Carter, Carl Jones, M. D. Carlton, Noel Weaver, Gerald Young and J. E. McCoy Jr.

Visiting with Mrs. La Foy Patterson and Susan and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mack Hodges were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis, LaFoy and Aletha of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stedham of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Doris Smith, Andre and Cleve of San Angelo.



MRS. CLAUD EDMOND MATNEY  
...formerly Jan Albritton

## Rites Here Unite Albritton, Matney

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Edmond Matney are on a wedding trip to Monterey, Mexico, following their marriage here Saturday evening in the First Baptist Church.

The bride, the former Dometri Jan Albritton, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Albritton. The bridegroom's parents are Mrs. William Brooks Matney of Austin and the late Cmdr. Matney.

Rev. Larry McGinty of Houston officiated. Lowell Higgins of Tulsa, Okla., was organist and Linda Campbell of San Antonio, soloist.

Mrs. Ronald Paul Buie of Alpine, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Joe Donald Cowan of Lexington, Miss., sister of the bride; Donna-Lynn Thurman of Anson, cousin of the bride; Mrs. Phil Guitart of Abilene, Amanda Davis of Shreveport, La., and Suzanne Scott of Chicago, Ill.

William B. Matney of Richardson, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Groomsmen were John Matney, brother of the bridegroom, Nick Carter, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, Coyle Kelley, Leonard Walton, and Gary Thomas, all of Austin.

David Hall and Bill Walters, both of Austin, were ushers.

Melinda Matney, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. Ring bearer was Craig Cowan of Lexington, Miss., nephew of the bride.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a princess line gown of delustrated satin accented with pearls and reemebroidered Alencon lace appliques. Lace appliques were used on the detachable chapel train. Her four tiered chapel length mantilla of imported English illusion fell from a satin and lace pillow enhanced with pearls. She carried a cascade of gardenias.

Attendants dresses were identical gowns of velvet and paisley challis. The empire

bodice of violet velvet was fashioned with brief sleeves and V neckline. The softly gathered skirt of paisley challis was bordered with violet at the hemline. They wore orange ice Camelot headpieces with matching maline bustle veils.

The reception was held in the home of the bride's par-

ents, at 920 Southwest First Street.

Johnnie Harbert registered guests. Others in the house party were Mrs. Mike Stedham of Ft. Worth, Jill Guest of Sweetwater, Mrs. Pat Willoughby of Haskell, Mrs. Thurman of Anson, Mrs. Sparkman of Sweetwater, and Mrs. Hagelstein of Hobbs, N. Mex., and Mrs. Norma Johnson of Lamesa.

The couple will be at home after Dec. 3 in Houston where Matney is employed by Union Carbide, Linde Division.

The bride is a graduate of Hamlin High School and received a bachelor of music education from Baylor Uni-

versity, Waco. She was a member of Kappa Theta.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Travis High School in Austin, received a degree in electrical engineering from the University of Texas at Austin. He was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity and Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Matney, and Mrs. Jack Hagelstein and Mrs. Phil Sparkman, both aunts of the bride, in the Sparkman home, 1434 Edgewood in Sweetwater.

Mrs. Leon Thurman of An-

son, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. John D. Ferguson of Hamlin were hostesses for the bridesmaids luncheon Saturday in the Thurman home.

## Jaycee-ettes Set Meeting Tonight

The Hamlin Jaycee-ettes will meet at 7:30 p.m. this evening (Thursday) in the Jaycee Community Building for a regular business session. Plans for the annual children's Christmas Party will be made.

Hostesses will be Mmes. Dan Gallagher and Ewell Mackey.

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## Hogan-Dawkins Vows Read Here

Marriage vows were read at 3:30 p.m. Saturday for Sealy Joe Dawkins of Seymour and Mrs. Tommy Hogan by Rev. Harold Fleming, pastor of Central Avenue Baptist Church, in the First Baptist Church chapel.

The bride, formerly Sandra Kay Hogan, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bury. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Blanch Ray of Abilene.

Honor attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mitchell of Snyder.

The bride wore a street length dress of pink chiffon with empire bodice designed with a high neckline and long full sleeves. White lace trimmed the empire waist, neckline and cuffs. She carried a bouquet of white feathered mums arranged with satin leaves that were accented with seed pearls. Her headpiece was made of miniature pink and white flowers.

The matron of honor wore a street length pale aqua double knit A-line dress with short sleeves. Her corsage

was of white mums.

Mr. and Mrs. Bury hosted the reception in their home following the ceremony.

The couple returned Monday from a trip to Run-Away-Bay at Lake Bridgeport and are residing on Route 2 at Seymour where Dawkins is employed by Baylor Milling Company.

Mrs. Dawkins is a 1961 graduate of Hamlin High School and attended Hardin-Simmons University.

Dawkins is a graduate of Plainview High School.

## Mrs. E. W. Ueckert Hosts B&PW Club Business Meeting

Mrs. E. W. Ueckert was hostess for the Nov. 24 meeting of the Hamlin Business and Professional Women's Club. Mrs. Earl Brown, president, presided.

Mrs. Frank Shearer was voted to membership.

Plans were made for the Cake Sale to be held Dec. 12 to aid the Hamlin Civil Defense Service. Orders may be placed for special cakes by calling any of the members after 6 p.m.

The next dinner meeting will be a Christmas Dinner in the home of Miss Viola Avants.

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## FROM THE FILES . . .

FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO  
(December 4, 1925)

The Texas Automobile Headlight Law requires that every motorist at the time of registration, present to the Tax Collector a headlight certificate which has been issued by a test station within thirty days of the date of registration. If the car or truck to be registered is not equipped with headlamps, the registrant will be permitted to make affidavit to that effect and this affidavit will take the place of a headlight certificate. Early testing and registration will help the test stations and the Tax Collector, and will save time for the motorist.

Motorists cannot obtain a headlight certificate for registration purposes on a re-test. The re-test provision of the law permits a re-test at any time during the year, but the certificate presented for registration must be paid for. In other words, headlamps are "tested" at the beginning of each year for registration purposes, and at this time the regular yearly fee of twenty-five cents must be paid. At any time during the year following, a re-test may be had free of charge until the next registration period begins.

After the coming pre-registration tests, there will not be another set test until the 1927 registration period begins. Throughout the year, however, a constant check will be made on the headlight conditions in the various parts of the State. Enforcement work is in the hands of local officers, and motorists are urged to co-operate with them in reporting bad headlighting conditions. There is no doubt that compliance with the Headlight Law will mean a great saving of property and human lives.

C. R. Granberry, Engineer, Automobile Headlight Department, Texas Highway Commission.

Seven years ago B. S. Ferguson planted a pecan at his home here in Hamlin. This week he gathered from the tree a dozen or more fine, large, thin shell pecans. The tree is thrifty and promises to be one of great value.

Now let's suppose one hundred pecans had been planted seven years ago in Hamlin. Today a hundred times as many trees would be growing nuts in our city. Then in less than seven more years Hamlin would be producing enough pecans for her own use.

TWENTY YEARS AGO  
(December 1, 1950)

The Hamlin Pied Pipers football squad, runners-up in District 6-A competition in the season just closed, will be feted at a banquet to be held at the High School cafeteria on the night of December 2.

No speaker has been engaged for the event and instead of the usual practice, Coach Jess Burditt will review games and individual performances as a program feature.

Highlight of the banquet will be the naming of lettermen for the season.

Basketball fans in Hamlin will be treated to something new in customer convenience on December 12 when Stamford plays practice games here. The athletic department has provided a modern electric timing clock which is being installed.

### Albany to Present Nativity This Year

Again this year, for the first time since 1967, citizens of Albany will present the Albany Nativity. Written by the late Robert Nail and first produced in 1939, the Nativity is the tender and inspirational story of man's search for a Redeemer, climaxing with the appearance of the Christ-child in the manger at Bethlehem. Since the first performance in 1939, 169 performances have been presented.

The hour-long show presented in Nancy Smith Elementary School auditorium consists of a prologue, three playlets, and an epilogue. Three arches are arranged on the stage such that each act appears as a Renaissance painting. Much careful attention is given to each costume and each setting.

There will be seven perfor-

mances this year. The first performance is at 7:30 p.m., Dec. 20. Thereafter two performances nightly will be presented at 7:30 and 8:45, Dec. 21-23. Tickets, which are free for any one who wish them, are necessary in order to prevent overcrowding at any one performance. Tickets may be obtained by requesting them from the Albany Chamber of Commerce, and including with the request a stamped self-addressed envelope.

### Tips Offered for Those Retiring

Are you getting ready to retire?

R. R. Tuley, Jr., social security manager in Abilene, has some tips that may help save you time and trouble when you apply for your social security benefits.

A telephone call to the social security office is a good

Through use of the clock, the spectators are kept informed of the exact time remaining in each period as the game progresses.

Hamlin's Rotary Club last week at their regular noon luncheon Wednesday heard a first hand account of the Korean conflict by Captain Billy McCarver of Abilene.

McCarver, on leave from a hospital at Fort Riley was introduced by Rev. Howard Smith, program chairman. The Captain, a survivor of Korean Red capture, told of his regiments tough pace against a heavier manned Korean Red troops. Its influx of men and the new recruits received. He entitled his talk "What I Learned As A Prisoner." McCarver was attached to the 34 Infantry Regiment.

Announcement has been made that the Hamlin Pied Piper basketball team has accepted an invitation from the Roscoe Plowboys to participate in a two-day tournament to be held in Roscoe.

The tournament will serve as an early gauge of potential talent on the Piper squad and will find that aggregation with only one practice game under their belts prior to the tournament.

A caution-stop signal was added to the scenery surrounding the McCaulley-Anson highway intersection several days ago.

The light, put up by the Texas Highway Department, is placed above the dangerous intersection by means of wires.

TEN YEARS AGO  
(December 1, 1960)

Hamlin merchants will open the Christmas season today with a big street parade and free circus. The parade will start at 3:30 on North Central Ave. at 4th Street and will terminate at South Central Ave. and 5th Street.

Due to a mix-up, the handbills distributed by the Trade Development Committee of the Board of Community Development listed the parade starting time at 4 o'clock instead of the correct time of 3:30 p.m.

The big 17 unit parade will be led by the Jr. High School Band and will climax with Santa Claus on Jumbo the Elephant. The High School 54-piece marching band will precede Santa Claus.

Before and after the parade there will be a big free circus with pony rides for the youngsters on the vacant lot north of the Post office. C. L. Howard, chairman of the Trade committee, urged that all pre-school children attend the circus and ride the ponies before the parade so that the primary children can attend after school.

The circus and pony rides will be in operation from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m.

The High School majorettes will distribute 2,000 pieces of wrapped candy to the crowds along the parade route.

The big feature of the circus will be the Woodcock Shrine Elephants. Other features of the circus are Cookie, the Hollywood trained Chimpanzee; Starlight, the educated pony and Santa in his heated traveling work shop.

Santa will make his entry into town atop of Jumbo who will be dressed up in his jumbo size Santa suit.

first step. Someone there can answer your questions and tell you how to apply and when to do it. In fact, it all may be done by telephone in some cases.

It's generally a good idea to apply about three months before you reach age 65, whether retiring or not. Don't delay because you don't have any of the required documents or information. The people in the social security office will be glad to help you get the necessary information. Try phoning (915) 677-5262.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brad Rowland over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Justin Rowland and son, David, of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland, Melanie and Britt of Lafayette, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Rowland, Kyle and Mel of Sweetwater and Tracy and Velanne Rowland of Hamlin.

There is a reward at the top of . . .

## THE CLIMB



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

Even when you know the proper way to climb with skis and the way up becomes easier, it still exerts you. However, the way is made even less of an effort when you think of the rewarding ride down.

The reward of an eternal life with God is easier still because it is a gift.

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HAMLIN

Schedule changes and corrections to be made on this page should be called in on Monday.

#### NORTH CENTRAL BAPTIST

Rev. Harold D. Fleming  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Services ..... 7:30 p.m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wilton H. Johnston, minister  
Lake Drive at Ave. A  
SUNDAY  
Bible Class ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:45 p.m.  
Young People ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Mid week service .... 7:30 p.m.

#### First United Methodist Church

Dr. R. Luther Kirk  
48 S. W. Ave. A  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:50 a.m.  
M. Y. F. .... 5:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Sessions for Children Grades 1 thru 6 ..... 4 p.m.  
Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Howard J. Jones  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:40 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.

#### SUNSET BAPTIST CHURCH

Ave. C at 6th  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
BTS ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

#### Baptist Mexican Mission

David R. Campos, pastor  
Stamford Highway  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service .... 10:40 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

#### NEINDA BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Frank Codington, pastor  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6:30 p.m.

#### McCaulley Methodist Church

Dr. R. Luther Kirk  
SUNDAY  
Morning Worship .... 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 8:00 p.m.  
CHURCH of the NAZARENE  
Rev. Marshall Stewart  
S. W. 1st at Avenue C  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:45 a.m.  
N. Y. P. S. .... 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

#### CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Sean Sheeran  
Aspermont Highway  
SUNDAY

Mass ..... 8 a.m.

WEDNESDAY

Services ..... 7:30 p.m.

#### FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Rev. Carl Pool  
113 S. W. Avenue D  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:55 a.m.  
Crusader Hour ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Prayer, Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

#### Calvary Baptist Church

Rev. W. B. Shirey, pastor  
N. W. Avenue G at 5th  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
BTS ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY

Song, Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

#### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

24 S. E. 9th  
Rev. Bobby Miller  
SUNDAY

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:30 p.m.

#### WEDNESDAY

Christ Ambassadors .... 6 p.m.

#### Primitive Baptist Church

600 Block N. E. Ave. A  
Elder Valery Henderson of Paducah, pastor  
Meets second Sunday and preceding Saturday night each month

#### OAK GROVE BAPTIST

Rev. B. C. Freeman  
Northeast Ave. H  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:50 a.m.  
B. T. U. .... 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.

#### United Pentecostal Church

219 N. E. Ave. B  
A. P. Tipton, pastor  
Emma Tipton, co-pastor  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Evangelistic service .. 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. prayer meeting 7:30 p.m.

#### McCaulley Baptist Church

Rev. Vergil Smith, pastor  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 7:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY

Prayer Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

#### EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Class ..... 10 a.m.  
Morning worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening worship ..... 6 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY

Bible Class ..... 7:30 p.m.

#### Sylvester Baptist Church

W. R. Petty, pastor  
S. S. .... 10 a.m.  
Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6 p.m.  
Evening worship ..... 7 p.m.



# CLASSIFIED ADS

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## NEWS FROM

# Old Glory

By Bernice D. White

Old Glory Variety Club members have enjoyed two meetings since our last report. Nov. 17 they met in the home of Mrs. Beno Hertenberger for an all day quilting. Members present were Mmes. E. H. Diers, G. F. Spitzer, Charlie Letz, Katie Gerloff, Travis Bell and the hostess. The members also appreciated the help of Mrs. Cliff Gholson and Mrs. James Martin at the quilting.

On Tuesday of last week the members held their regular meeting and a quilting in the home of Mrs. E. H. Diers. Mrs. Cliff Gholson was also present here to help with the quilting. Members present were Mmes. Charlie Letz, G. F. Spitzer, Lynn Flowers, Beno Hertenberger and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ernest Hunt are at home at 326 Whitewood, Apt. 801, in San Antonio following their marriage in the chapel at Lackland Air Force Base.

The bride is the former Phyllis Kay Kauffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kauffman of Mechanicsburg, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hunt of Old Glory are the bridegroom's parents.

The bride was graduated from Mechanicsburg High School and is employed in the religious education department at Lackland AFB. A graduate of Old Glory High School, Hunt is employed at Lackland AFB in the office of chaplain services.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Pierce are parents of a baby boy born Nov. 19 at the Haskell Hospital. He has been named Carlton West and tipped the scales at 7 lbs. 3 1/2 oz. He has two sisters, Jami and Kim.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dugan were in Comanche last week to be with her mother Mrs. C. M. Lewis who is in the hospital there. Then Mrs. Dugan's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davenport of Fort Worth were here to visit with them. Cindy and Rebecca Letz of Lubbock were here over the Thanksgiving holidays visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Letz.

Mr. and Mrs. Delos Callicotte, accompanied by her sister and mother, Mrs. Gertrude Johnson and Mrs. Bess Forgas of Aspermont, spent the Thanksgiving weekend in Midland visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs.

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**FOR SALE:** Three bedroom mobile home with bath and one-half, 12 x 62. Call Carolyn Offield, 576-3239.

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Jerry Callicotte, Guy and Jill.

Visitors in the Lynn Flowers home last week included her sister, Mrs. Hazel Overton of Stamford, and her brother, Olis Macon of Ruie. On Sunday the J. V. Ritenours of Abilene were dinner guests in their home.

A recent article in Science Digest, a national magazine, quoted Larry Quade, a graduate of Old Glory High School.

Anthropologists Sharon S. and Thomas W. McKern, in their article, "The Roughest Game of All" quote Quade's premise that prehistoric ball games enjoyed by ancient Aztecs and Mayas gave rise to such modern team sports as soccer, football and basketball.

Quade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Quade of Sagerton, received his BA Degree in Anthropology at the University of Texas. He did his masters and doctoral work at the University of Kansas in the same field and is teaching at Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas, this semester.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Weaver to our community. They have recently moved on the B. O. Hawkins place south of Old Glory.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dugan are now operating the will assume duties as Stone-Rhoads Grocery here. Mr. wall County Superintendent of Schools Jan. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright are in Kerrville where he has entered Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital. Mr. Wright is a teacher in Old Glory High School. Mrs. Sofia Roa is substituting for him during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Garner and children of Iraan were here recently. Mrs. Garner came to be with her mother, Mrs. Ben Worley who was in the Haskell Hospital. Mrs. Worley, who is recovering from a broken hip, has now been moved to Clear View Nursing Home in Haskell.

Many in our community were saddened at the death of Mrs. Margie Mischer. Mrs. Mischer was a long time resident of this community and will be deeply missed by her relatives and many friends here.

Stephanie Letz of Odessa and Reva Letz of San Angelo were here over the holidays visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Letz. Stephanie had been here a few days before when she stopped by to pick up her brother Russell to go to Wichita Falls to the Odessa Permian and Wichita Falls football game. Accompanying her were Sandy Shaw and Mary Silvers of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Flowers made a trip to San Angelo recently to visit with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. King.

Mrs. Sharon Newman and children of Amarillo were here last weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Newman and Mrs. H. E. Carr. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ivey of Hawley also visited with Mrs. Carr on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Sawyers of Abilene spent last weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sawyers.

## BRIDGE WINNERS

Mrs. Harry Yates of Stamford and Dale Lain were first place winners at the Tuesday evening meeting of Hamlin Duplicate Bridge Club in session at the Jaycee Community Building.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albritton were second and Mrs. Floyd Briscoe and Mrs. L. W. Shivers were third.

A special game of Ft. Phantom Unit will be Friday, Dec. 4, at the Oil Mill Guest House at 7:30 p.m.

**HARDEN MEMORIAL LIBRARY**  
224 S. W. Ave. A  
**SCHEDULE**

**Monday** 2 to 5 p.m.  
**Tuesday** 2 to 5 p.m.  
**Wednesday** 3 to 5 p.m.  
**Thursday** 5 to 7 p.m.  
**Friday** 2 to 5 p.m.

## Woman's Forum Conducts Library Business Monday

Several items of business were covered during the Monday evening meeting of Hamlin Woman's Forum concerning the operation of Harden Memorial Library.

Meeting in the library building, with Mrs. R. D. Moore, president, presiding, the hiring of Mrs. Donald Young as temporary librarian was adopted, the executive board was authorized to select a permanent librarian and Mrs. Dale Lain was elected to individual membership.

Named by Mrs. Moore to serve on the library board with Mrs. Young were Mrs. John Ferguson and Mrs. Lain. Mrs. Moore named all presidents of member clubs to serve on the nominating committee to report at the next regular meeting, Jan. 25, 1971. The committee will include Mmes. Young, Joe Hudspeth, Earl Brown, W. T. Johnson, Mac Sellers and Harvey Lawlis.

Present at the meeting were Mmes. Moore, Kenneth Riddle, Melvin Scott, Joe League, Hudspeth, Lawlis, Brown, A. J. Winegeart, E. D. Pottin, A. A. Hackley, Howard Mehaffey, Bob Craig, Young, and Miss Lennie Greenway.

## Bonds Circle Meets In Home of Mrs. Joe Murff Tuesday

The Bonds Circle of the First United Methodist Church met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Joe Murff with 11 members present. Mrs. L. C. Bonds, chairman, presided. Assignments were made for over the business session, the coming bazaar and spaghetti luncheon Dec. 5 in the church fellowship hall. A total of 81 visits to shut-ins were reported.

Mrs. Foster Cook bought the program on "Thanksgiving" assisted by several of those present.

The Circle will be co-hostess for a dinner on Thursday, Dec. 3, honoring the Wesleyan Guild. Mrs. L. H. McBride will direct the program which is a pledge service.

## Rice Tying Party, Buffet Honor Jan Albritton

Pre-nuptial compliments for Jan Albritton included a rice tying party in the home of Mrs. Leldon Clifton and a buffet dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Gaiter in Abilene.

Mrs. Clifton and Mrs. LaFoy Patterson were hostesses for the rice tying party at 2 p.m. Nov. 22. The honoree was surprised with an assortment of Christmas tree ornaments. Each guest gave her an ornament for the couple's first Christmas tree.

Guests included Mmes. O. H. Weaver, John Ferguson, Joe Hudspeth, Phil Gaiter of Abilene, Joe Cowan of Lexington, Miss, and Henry Albritton, mother of the honoree.

The buffet dinner in the Gaiter home was held at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 25.

Miss Albritton and Claud Matney were married here Saturday evening.

## HOSPITAL PATIENTS

L. A. Johnson  
Mrs. M. E. Ross  
Sallie Hall  
Lee Hopper  
J. E. Bruce  
Miss Eleanor Temple  
Herd Douthitt  
Mrs. Hollis Madden  
Cliff Crowley  
L. P. Henderson  
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Sharon Hawkins  
E. R. Smith  
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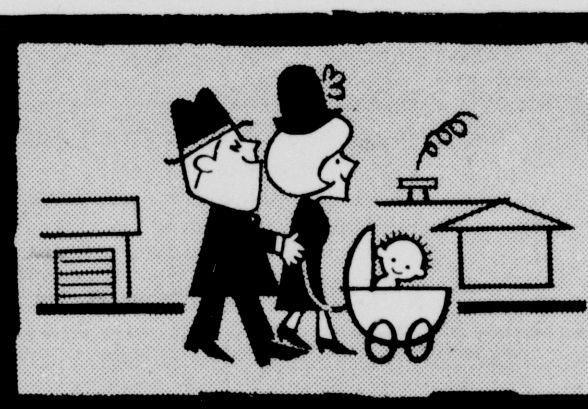
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# Neinda Philosopher Comes Up With An Idea For Using All Those Unemployed Scientists

Editor's note: The Neinda Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Route One is having gadget trouble, his letter this week indicates. Who doesn't?

Dear editor:  
My television set wouldn't work, a tube was out in my radio, another light bulb had just burned out, the washing machine went haywire and put six inches of water on the floor, and my car wouldn't start, so I shut myself up in the living room and started reading a newspaper I'd been saving to wrap around an exposed hydrant.

I ran across an article that said there are now over 45,000 scientists and engineers unemployed in this country, due to cut-backs in the space program and other reasons nobody is certain about.

Now what really caught my attention was the answer to this problem, suggested by a Washington expert. He wants a sort of new "WPA" for these unemployed scientists, wants a government-financed program going to keep them busy so their minds won't get rusty. "There are plenty of new ideas and things needing developing," he said.

told myself, I've got a better idea. Don't put them to work on something new, put them to work on what we've already got.

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Let those 45,000 scientists hold up, turn around and start perfecting what they've already turned loose on us.

For a while there it took a life-time of work to buy all the gadgets a man thinks he needs, but now it takes that plus a life-time of moonlighting to keep them going.

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.



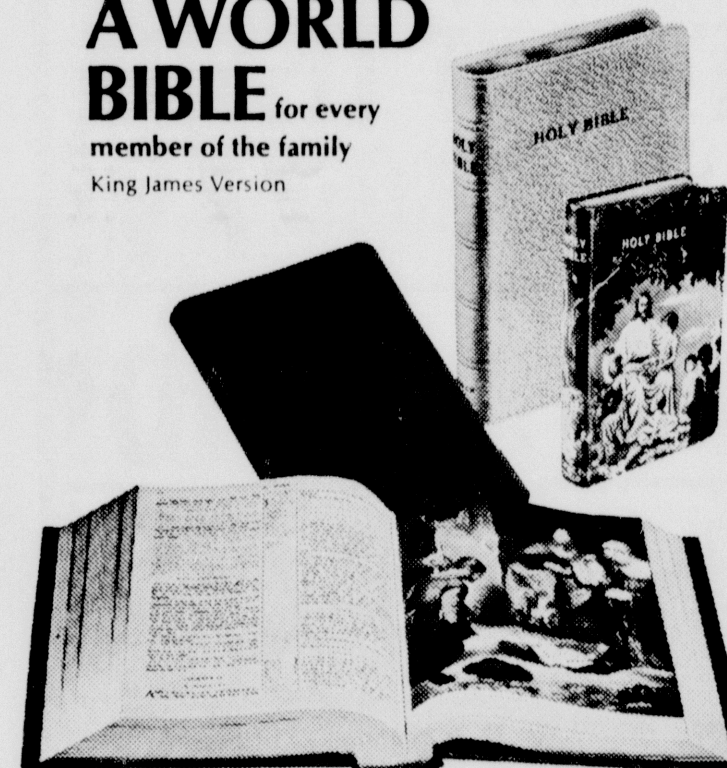
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NEWS FROM...

# Sylvester

By MRS. R. M. BARR

Cool and cloudy now but didn't we have a lovely day for Thanksgiving? Hope you had a good day.

Mrs. Loys Smith spent several days in Hamlin hospital with pneumonia.

The Curtis Stevenson family of Anson spent Thanksgiving in the E. P. Harris home.

Mrs. Ella Scott spent the day last Thursday in the Charles Scott home. Mrs. Myrtle Edwards spent Thanksgiving in the R. M. Babb home. Mr. Woodson spent Thursday in the W. B. Brown home. Mr. Henry Ward spent Thursday in the Roy Kiser home. Each of these people live at Holiday Lodge in Hamlin.

The Chub Hardwick family drove to Abilene for Thanksgiving dinner.

Mrs. Ezell Whitten drove over from Hamlin and took her sister, May Hurst home with her for dinner Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Lawlis spent most of last week with their children in and around Ft. Worth.

If you missed the dinner and fellowship and then the singing last week at the Methodist Church then you missed something. Every one really enjoyed the evening. The singing has been discontinued until next spring. People from Sweetwater, Merkel, Trent and Roby helped us enjoy the evening.

Danna Thompson, bride-elect of Arthur Maberry, was honored with a tea Friday afternoon at the Baptist Church in Sylvester. Pink and white were the colors carried out in every way possible.

Many of our people attended the wedding of Connie Beck and Richard Partney Saturday night in Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clem and children of Irving were guests in the Richard Kelly home over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Early were in San Angelo last week for a check up on Cliff's eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown drove to Stillwell, Okla., for a visit with their daughter's family over the weekend.

Capt. and Mrs. Jimmy Lanning and James David are sharing their love and home with little Miss Jennifer Lynn Lanning, who came to live with them on Nov. 27 weighing in at 8 lbs. and 13 oz. Congratulations!

Guests in the Cliff Early home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Duwayne Early of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Early of Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Deel and children of Levelland spent the weekend in the Buford Brown home. On Sunday the Prather family drove over from Sweetwater to join them.

Guests in the Fred Turner home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. James (Buster) Turner and daughters of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Bartley and boys of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Gaasch of Austin.

The Thomas Kisers of Ft. Worth spent the weekend in the Cecil Kiser home.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Montgomery were guests in the home of Mrs. Johnnie Sharp in Abilene Thursday. Then on Sunday in the Montgomery home were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Porter and family of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Montgomery, daughters Bobby and Betsy of Okla. City, Okla., Mrs. Sonny Montgomery and girls of Hamlin, then in the afternoon Mrs. Tracy King of Roby and Betty Jo of Enid, Okla., visited with all the group.

The Tommy Wilsons of Meadow spent a short time with her mother, Mrs. Gladys Williams, Thursday.

From the

## Eagles Beak--

by Shirley Ann Gann

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Tonight the Eagles will host the O'Brien Bulldogs at 7 p.m. If you want to see a good game, come out.

The McCaulley High basketball team traveled to Blackwell Nov. 24 for three games. The B team was downed 39-24 in the first contest. Boys scoring for the Eagles were Teddy Current, 9; Alvin Raines, 2; Derrell Pippin, 4; Greg Redden, 6; and Raymond Luna, 3.

In the Girls A game the Blackwell team was victorious, 54-33. Scoring was by Vikki Griffin, 4; Debbie Kiser, 16; Renia Kelly, 12; and Luci Perales, 3. Captains for this game were Margaret Current and Shirley Gann, both seniors.

The boys team was also defeated by the Blackwell Hornets, 83-43. Scoring for the Eagles were Daniel Benavides, 9; Johnny Perales, 4; Johnny Joe Del Santos, 2; Larry Marshall, 7; Glenn Dowell, 3 and Eddie Gibson, 18.

The Eagles football season was climaxed with a loss to Blackwell, 50-40. Eddy Gibson scored two touchdowns and kicked two extra points. Other scoring was by Johnny Del Santos, Larry Marshall, Teddy Current and James Spalding. Each scored one touchdown.

The halftime score was 35-34 in Blackwell's favor

## Stamford Electric Cooperative Returns \$175,770 to Members

Checks totaling \$175,771.30 were mailed to members of Stamford Electric Cooperative, Inc., on Tuesday, Dec. 1, according to Charles W. Stenholm manager. These checks will retire capital credit investments made by SEC members during the year 1958.

The Capital Credits plan is one aspect of SEC's non-profit operation under which members agree that all amounts paid for service in excess of operation costs are furnished as capital. Each member invests in his cooperative in proportion to the amount of electricity that he uses. Amounts thus invested and credited to member accounts are returned when the Cooperative's financial position permits.

The Board of Directors of SEC is charged with making decisions on finances and other policies of the cooperative. It has been the policy of SEC over the years to pay back as quickly as economically feasible all REA loan funds. This has been done to the extent that members today have a 94.2% equity in their own business.

It is now possible to refund members capital investments on a regular basis.

All such retirement of capital are made in the order of priority according to year in which capital was furnished and credited, the capital first received by the cooperative being first retired.

"With the mailing of the 1958 retirement checks, this will make a total of \$1,158,124.73 thus refunded since the cooperative's organization in 1939," said Stenholm, "and during this period SEC has served every applicant for service in the area served by the cooperative, no matter how small or far away."

## Elementary Honor Roll Announced

Students in the elementary school receiving all A's during the second six weeks period which ended Nov. 13 are as follows:

THIRD GRADE: Greg Allen, James Beasley, Donna Bell, Sammy Benningfield, Galya Bockman, Mark Caffey, Laura Carter, Stephanie Hought, Patty Moore, Larry Nall, Carmen Quintanilla, Karla Skiles, Gena Steele, Laurie Willingham and Jamie Woods.

FOURTH GRADE: Sherilyn Campbell, Mark Carter,

Rickey Dockins, Angela Hillburn, Leah Johnston, Jamie Jones, Vance Lakey, Randall Lewis, Shari Robinson, Joe Don Smith and Julie Willingham.

FIFTH GRADE: Nickey Bond, Diane Jay and Dereta Weaver.

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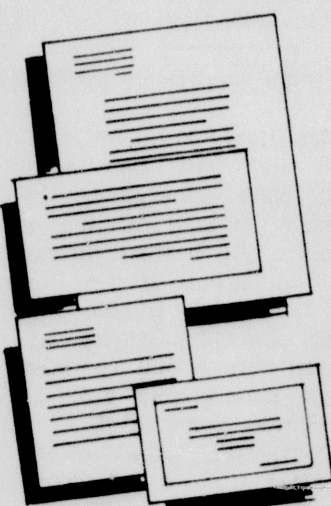
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AUSTIN — Car owners in Texas got the expected bad news when the staff of the State Board of Insurance recommended a 23.4 per cent average increase in auto insurance rates.

Board took no immediate action, but will set new rates by January 1.

If the agency holds to its past policy of allowing no increase in any line of coverage greater than 25 per cent, the staff proposal may be scaled down to an effective 18.6 per cent boost.

Earlier the regulatory body committed itself to a new rate-making formula taking into account investment income of companies and guaranteeing profit on underwriting after taxes.

Staff recommendations would build into the rate base a 4.7 per cent profit on policy writing and an 8.7 per cent allowance for state and federal taxes.

Industry representatives, still not satisfied, argued their case for a 27.7 per cent average statewide increase and removal of the arbitrary maximum change limitation of 25 per cent for any line. They claimed serious underwriting losses of \$45.7 million over the last decade.

Proposals brought angry rumbles from legislators. Sen. Oscar Mauzy of Dallas predicted that lawmakers "will not allow this economic miscarriage of justice to stand unchallenged." Rep. Joe Allen of Baytown also called the proposed rate increases "tragic abuse of government regulation and free enterprise system."

Texas AFL-CIO has called on drivers to appeal to the Legislature for a change in the rate system, and reportedly is studying possible legal action.

**WELFARE CHANGES URGED** — A raise in welfare benefits, removal of the constitutional ceiling on payments, reorganization of the Department of Public Welfare and a new approach to problems of needy families with

dependent children were recommended by the blue-ribbon Senate Welfare Study Committee.

Committee said the state must aim at development of children rather than simply maintaining them on aid rolls to break the poverty cycle.

These additional recommendations were included in the 85-page report:

A constitutional amendment to permit garnishment of wages for court-ordered child support.

A vendor drug program to supply medicines to Medicaid outpatients.

Renaming the Welfare Department the Department of Human Resources and reorganizing it with a head named by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate.

Complete overhaul or streamlining of department administration with increased use of computer methods.

Committee Chairman William P. Hobby Jr. said that the Legislature next January will have to pass an emergency appropriation of more than \$40 million just to carry the welfare program at present levels to the end of the biennium.

**AG OPINIONS** — County jury wheels must be re-filled from tax renditions, as well as voter registration lists, Atty. Gen. Crawford C. Martin has held.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

Penal code provisions requiring a \$25 license fee for fish farm operators who grow fish for sale is constitutional.

Estate of a deceased state employee should be paid for the same number of days to which he would have been entitled had he lived and claimed his vacation and sick leave, beginning the day following his death.

Martin has been asked to rule on the legality of a verbal contract for the first phase of construction on Mustang Island fish pass.

**TRAFFIC SAFETY PROMOTED** — Legislative mea-

sures to get more problem drivers, especially drunks, off Texas highways were urged at the second annual Governor's Traffic Safety Conference.

Col Wilson Speir, Department of Public Safety director, said the 12-month minimum suspension law for drunk driving now opens the door to an excessive number of probated sentences. He suggested a 60-to-90-day mandatory suspension without probation.

DPS head also proposed fixing of .10 per cent blood alcohol level as the presumptive test of intoxication, broadened support for driver education, prescribed safety equipment for motorcycles and updating of the uniform traffic code.

**RETURNS CERTIFIED** — Official canvass of returns of the general election showed Democrat Lloyd Bentsen beat Republican George Bush for U. S. Senate by 155,334 votes and Governor Smith defeated GOP Paul Eggers by 158,675 votes. Total turnout exceeded 2.3 million.

There was one upset in the canvass. A constitutional amendment allowing the Governor to appoint a three-member State Building Commission, believed to have passed actually was defeated by 6,337 votes.

**SHORT SNORTS** — Traffic deaths on interstate highways, down early in the year, took a big jump in recent weeks — seven per cent above 1969 — according to the Department of Public Safety.

Texas Hospital Association applauded the U. S. Senate finance committee amendment authorizing waiver of the requirement that Medicare hospitals have a registered nurse on duty 24 hours a day.

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes said the state tax bill next year may be the highest in Texas history, but he will make an all-out effort to get the Legislature through with its job in 140 days.

A seminar on package tours will highlight the fifth annual Governor's Tourist Development Conference on December 1 here.

Governor's scientific advisory panel has recommended the creation of a pesticide review board and updating of pesticide laws.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ma-berry had as their guests for the Thanksgiving holidays James Ma-berry and children of Duncanville, Mrs. Lee Ma-berry and sons of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards and James, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smallwood and Barbara, all of Odessa and Steve Mackey of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Shivers, Keith and Lanny of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Fudge in Jayton; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Shivers; and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lakey and boys, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

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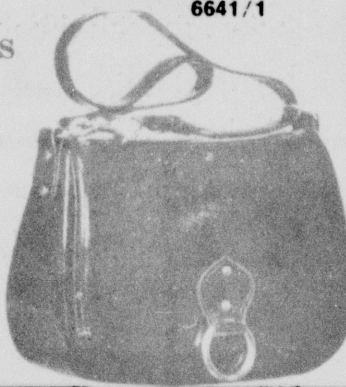
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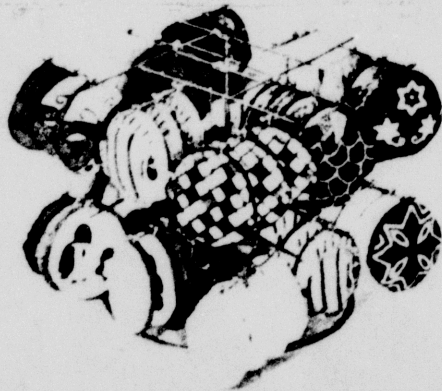


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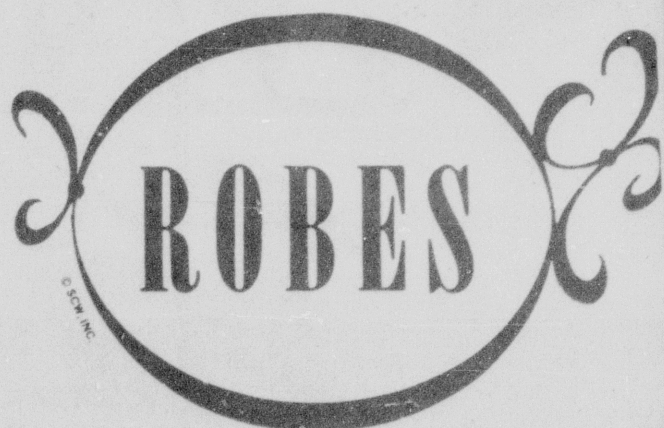
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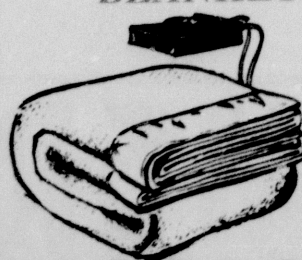
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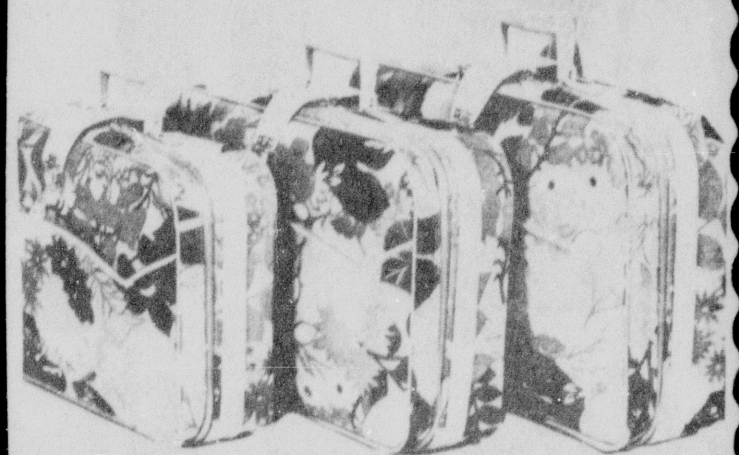
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## MEN'S APPAREL AND FURNISHINGS



Advanced styling in mens

### Sweater Sets

100% Virgin Orlon Acrylic-- with a short sleeve slip over and a long sleeve cardigan.

**\$19.95**

Men and boys all weather

### Coats

with zip out linings, plaids and solids--Reg. \$19.95,

Sale Price **\$12.95**

Boys

### Dress Suits

sizes 3 to 12--all reduced--one special group values to \$14.95, Only

**\$9.88**

### Men's Pajamas

Buy now for Christmas-- sizes A-B-C-D in 100% San-forized cotton--

**2.99** pr.



### Men's Robes

--A big selection of rayons in plaids and solids, good heavy terry cloths and one group of perma-pressed cotton robes in solids and patterns . . . The perma-pressed group is a real value at

**\$4.95** others to \$12.95

## Leisure Socks

Mens heavy Interwoven sox in softies of fashion orlon-- One size fits all - - -

\$1.00 pair



Final clearance on boys short sleeve cotton

### Sweat Shirts

usually 1.69

now sale priced at

**88¢**

Mens Corduroy Norfolk

## SURCOATS

Belted with two big front pockets, upper half of the coat is pile lined while the bottom half is quilted lined--Reg. price \$16.95,

sale priced **\$14.88**



Boys Plaid C. P. O. Shirts--we thought these were good at \$5.95 They are heavy with two button down front pockets--

**\$3.88**



50% DACRON\* Polyester/50% Cotton Sateen

with PERMANENT PRESS FINISH in our most complete size range



**\$19.95**

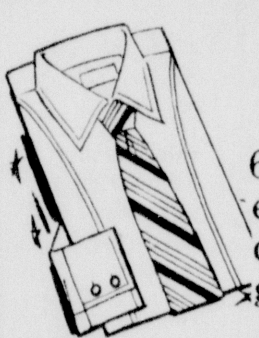
sizes 36 to 50 regular or longs

The strong sateen fabric is laminated to Scott Apparel Foam and fully Nylon lined. This suit has zippered breast pockets; one of the 2 hip pockets has a zipper to secure your wallet; inside breast pocket. 2-way zipper front with snap at top; bi-swing back; elastic inserts at waist for comfort; concealed knit storm cuffs; snap adjustments at leg cuffs for closing when desired.

### Men's Dress Shirts

65% Polyester, 35% cotton - Permanent Press dress shirts with french cuffs asst. in tan, blue, brown and gold -- Reg. \$3.95

Sale Price **\$2.98**



32 inch Visually Quilted DOWN LOOK Ski COAT Full 8 oz. VYCRON POLYESTER batting. Large deep Pile Fur Collar. Roomy two-in-one pockets. Heavy-weight ribbed Nylon knit ski cuffs.



**\$18.95** OUR LOW PRICE



31 in. Fur Collared WIDE WALE CORDUROY

Norfolk

Deep Pile Fur collar and lapels. Two large pockets with button down flaps. Norfolk front with belt. Two piece coat sleeves with button trim. Simulated leather button front. Full Pile lining.

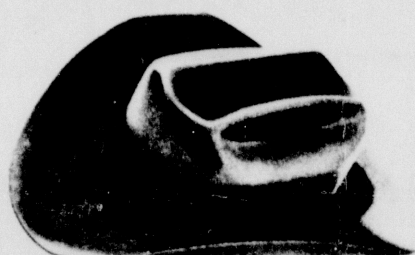
**\$18.95**



### Boys Sweaters

One big table -- all sizes -- slippers and cardigans reduced

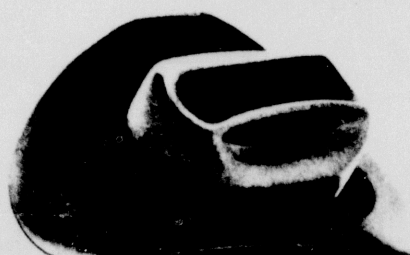
**1/4 to 1/2**



PLAINS or DOGIE

A big favorite of Western hat wearers for everyday requirements. Shown with the Ft. Worth crease and brim roll, 3" brim. Comes with one-cord band and tie bow.

**\$15.88**



FT. WORTH or SADDLER JR.

By far the most popular style in Western hat shapes, this hat is shown with the Ft. Worth crease and brim roll. The 3 1/2" brim continues to be the most highly favored dimension in this style. Trimmed with a two-cord band and tie bow.

**\$17.88**



PECOS or SADDLER SR.

One of the most popular styles among Rodeo performers throughout the United States and Canada. Shown with the authentic Rodeo Rider crease and brim roll, 6" crown 3 1/2" brim, two-cord band and tie bow.

**\$17.88**

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